IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANTONY DOMINIC

FRIDAY, THE 5TH OCTOBER 2007 / 13TH ASWINA 1929

WP(C).No. 25145 of 2007(R)

PETITIONER:

MANJU.M.CHACKO, AGED 28 YEARS,
W/O.BIJU KURIAKOSE, MUTHIRAKALAYIL HOUSE,
PINDIMANA P.O., KOTHAMANGALAM.

BY ADV. SMT.C.S.SHEEJA

RESPONDENTS:
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1. **THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT AUTHORITY,**
   ERNAKULAM.

2. **THE JOINT REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER,**
   KOTHAMANGALAM.

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.I.V.PRAMOD

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 05/10/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

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ANTONY DOMINIC,J.

W.P (C) No. 25145 of 2007

Dated this the 5th October, 2007

J U D G M E N T

The request made by the petitioner in Exhibit-P7 is for conversion of the Permit of Maruti Car KL 17/4619 into a Private Permit and for transfer of registration into her husband's name has been rejected by Exhibit-P8. In Exhibit-P8 it is stated that there is no provision to issue a Private Permit to a Maruti Car and the petitioner is also asked to make an application affixing necessary stamps in the application for transfer of ownership.

2. In so far as the first objection contained in Exhibit-P7 that there is no provision for conversion into a private permit does not seem to be correct in view of the provisions under Section Rule 51 (6) of the Motor Vehicles Act and the decision of this Court reported in *Saj Tours and Travels Vs. State Transport Authority (* 1998 (2) KLT 397]. Therefore, if the petitioner makes an application in the proper form affixing stamps for the transfer of ownership of the vehicle also, the application made by the petitioner will be considered by the authority and orders will be passed thereon.

The writ petition is disposed of as above.

(ANTONY DOMINIC, JUDGE)

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K.THANKAPPAN,J

CRL.A. NO.92 OF 1999

ORDER

25th May, 2007